



**Lessie B. Price**

*Aiken City Council*

Lessie B. Price has served as an elected member of the Aiken City Council for the past 21 years and was the first woman elected to a municipal at-large seat. She has also served as Mayor Pro-Tempore of Aiken.

In addition to her service on the Aiken City Council, Ms. Price is also the Manager of the Public Affairs-Community Assistance Department for the URS Washington Savannah River Company. Her organization's primary role is to develop and maintain positive relationships with the Savannah River Site (SRS) stakeholders, including congressional offices, community leaders, chambers of commerce, civic and philanthropic organizations, and local, state and federal officials. The organization also works with DOE and the SRS Community Reuse Organization to identify surplus property and equipment that can be used for economic development. Lastly, the Public Affairs-Community Assistance Department provides Corporate Philanthropy and Community Giving funds to local non-profit organizations, and works with DOE-Headquarters and other community leaders to facilitate Executive Order 12898, which pertains to federal Environmental Justice programs and actions.

Ms. Price is a member of the National League of Cities and serves on the Small Cities Advisory Council, the Energy, Environment and Natural Resources Committee, and the Citizens Judicial Merit Selection Committee for South Carolina. She also continues to serve on the Board of the Lower Savannah Council of Government, Workforce Development Board (Chair-Youth Committee), South Carolina Commission on Higher Education Foundation Board, South Carolina Tourism Board, University Hospital Foundation Board, News Channel 6 Advisory Board, Aiken County Dollars for Scholars Board, and the South Carolina Municipal Incorporation Board. Ms. Price is the former Chairman of the Board of Trustees for the Aiken Regional Medical Centers and is the former President of the Municipal Association of South Carolina, which represents 274 cities in the State.

Ms. Price has received numerous awards and honors for her professional and civic involvement, which include Awards of Excellence from Westinghouse SRS, the Greater Aiken Chamber of Commerce "Woman of The Year" and "Outstanding Leadership" awards, the Aiken Sunrise Rotary Club "Unsung Hero" award, and the Central Savannah River Council of Girl Scouts "Woman of Excellence" award.

Ms. Price is currently a resident of Aiken, South Carolina, and was educated in the public schools of Aiken County, Allen University, and the University of South Carolina.

Ms. Price was appointed to EMAB to represent the views of the Aiken City Council.